

 	对0. 8476	四千八第 日七初月正	年一十選光 · HONGKON	G, SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 21s	T, 1885. 六甲葛	就一十二月二英 \$ 香	PRIOR \$2% PER MONTH
· -	SHIPPING.	INTIMATIONS.	BANKS.	AUCTIONS.	INTIMATIONS.	NOTICES TO CONSIGNEES.	INTIMATIONS,
	ARRIVALS. February 20, Ningpo, British steamer, 791,		THE NEW ORIENTAL BANK CORPORATION, LIMITED.	PUBLIC AUCTION. FIGHE Undersigned has received instructions	THE CHINA FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.	OATION COMPANY, LIMITED.	
	Wm. Potts, Whampon 20th February, Ge- neral.—Stemssen & Co.	A NEW STOCK OF FIRE ARMS AND AMMUNITION.	INCORPORATED IN LONDON on 18th July, 1884.	THIS DAY, the 21st February, 1885, at Noon, at his	· · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · ·	FROM BATAVIA, BINGAPORE, AND SAIGON. 711HE Company's Steamship	GOVERNMENT BILLS
	February 20, Swift, British g-bt., from wreck of the Castello.	SMITH & WESSON'S	CAPITAL £2,000,000 in 200,000 SHARES OF £10 EACH.	Soles Rooms, Queen's Road, SUNDRY BOOKS, PLATED & GLASS	THE SIXTEENTH ORDINARY MEET- ING or SHAREHOLDERS in the Company will be held at the Company's Office,	"CELEBES."	LARS Current in this Colony 7.1.7., in exchange for BILLS drawn MAND on the GOVERNMENT OF IN
• .	February 20, Lido, British steamer, 620, Leitch, Swatow 19th Feb., General—Alenhold, Karnels & Co.	"AUTOMÁTIC" REVOLVERS. Cours PLATED POCKET DERINGERS.	LONDON BANKERS:	TWO BREACH LOADING CENTRAL	o'clock in the AFTERNOON of TUESDAY, the 24th February instant, for the purpose of re-	signess of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature and to take immediate delivery	NOON, on TUESDAY, the 24th mate
• • •	February 20, Antonio Munoz, Spanish str., 517, R. Ozoro, Manila 16th February, Gene-	RILLY'S IMPROVED "BULL DOG". REVOLVERS.	UNION BANK OF LONDON, LIMITED., BANK OF SCOTLAND, LONDON. RATES OF INTEREST ALLOWED	C ha Pra	of the Directors for the year ending 31st December, 1884.	of their goods. Cargo impeding the discharge will be at once landed and stored at Considure's risk and ex-	quired (in Rupees) and the amount each Bill should be drawn, but no B
• • ;	ral.—Remedios & Co. February 20, Fooksang, British steamer, 990, W. Hogg, Saigon 14th February, Rice.—	RILEY'S "IRISH CONSTABULARY" REVOLVERS.	ON DEPOSITS: At 3 Menths' Notice, 3 per Cent. per Annum. At 6 Menths' Notice, 4 per Cent. per Annum.	Hongkong, 19th February, 1884. 385	The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from the 11th to the 24th instant, both days inclusive.	JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.	The Tenders to be in Duplicate, Covers, addressed to "The Dist
april.	JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. February 20, Aspic, French gunboat, Lieuta	THE NEW	At 12 Months' Notice, 5 per Cent. per Annum. Current Accounts kept on terms which may	FURNITURE SALE. T ANE, CRAWFOED & Co. have been	JAS. B. COUGHTRIE, Secretary.	NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.	master, Army Pay Department," and "Tenders for Government Bills." The right to accept or reject any
æ	Com. Jonquieres, Shuipoo 16th-February. OLEARANCES	(as supplied to the Horse GUARDS). DOUBLE BARREL FOWLING PIECES,	PURCHASED.	R.A., to Sell by Public Auction, at his Residence, Rocklands, Robinson Road,	Hongkong, 5th February; 1885. [306] HONGKONG AND, WHAMPOA DOCK	AND SINGAPORE.	Tenders is reserved. ARTHUR GELSTON Staff Paymest
	AT THE HARBOUR MASTER'S OFFICE. 20TH FEBRUARY. China, German str., for Kelung	in Case with IMPLEMENTS COMPLETE, \$45.00.	H. A. HERBERT. Manager Hongkong, 15th September, 1884.	THIS DAY, the 21st Instant, \$\frac{1}{2}\$ o'CLOCK P.M., THE WHOLE OF HIS	COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.	having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo by her and by the S. S. "Assyrian	Treasury Chest Office, Queen's Road, Hongkong, 20th February, 1885.
	Peking, British str., for Shanghar. Penelope, British sch., for Yokohama.	LANE, CRAWFORD & Co.— Hongkong, 13th February, 1884. [26]	NOTICE.	ENGLISH AND CHINA-MADE FURNITURE, Comprising:	THE ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING	Monarch," from New York, are hereby informed that their Goods, with the exception of Opium, are being landed at their risk into the	FOR SWATOW AND BANG
•	DEPARTURES. February 20, Thibet, British str., for Yoko-	ELLY & WALSH	I THE HOLDERS OF MOTES OF CITAL	WALNUT COVERED COUCHES and I	the Offices of the Company, No. 14, Praya Central, on TUESDAY, the 24th February, at	Godowns of the Undersigned whence and or from the wharves or boats delivery may be obtained.	THE SCOTTISH ORIENTAL SHIP COMPANY, LIMIT
	hama. February 20, F. C. Siehen, German bark, for Diamond Island.	The Stability of Ships by Sir E. J. Reed. Munroe's Electrical Pocket Book. Seaton's Marine Engineering.	TION (Hongkong Branch) are hereby requested to present them to the Liquidators	MARBLE-TOP CONSOL TABLE with MIRROR, CURTAINS, CARPETS, OAK CHAIRS.	3.30 r.m., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors and a Statement of Accounts to December 31st, 4884.	Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 10 A.M., TO-MORROW, the 19th instant.	"PHRA CHULA CHOM KI Captain H. Lightwood, will be desp
	February 20, YORITOMO MARU, Japanese str., for Kutchinotzu.	Thomson's Domestic Medicine. Spon's Mechanic's Own Book. On the Frontier, by Bret Harte.	of the Bank, when they will be given in Exchange a Certificate of the Value of the Notes deposited.		The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from TUESDAY the 10th to TUESDAY the 24th February, both days	Carea remaining undelivered after the 24th !	the above Ports on TUESDAY, the at DAYLIGHT. For Freight or Passage, apply to YUEN FAT
•	Rebruary 20, FLYING FISH, British gunboat, for Manila.	Wrock of the "Nisero" or our Captivity in Sumaira, by W. Bradley—one of the Survivors.	HOLDERS of NOTES will be required to furnish to the Liquidators of the Bank, a schedule in duplicate giving the date of Issue.	IRON BEDSTEADS with SPRING	inclusive. By Order of the Board of Directors, D. GILLIES, Secretary.	Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, 18th February, 1885. [382]	Hongkong, 21st February, 1885.
:	February 20, ESMERALDA, British steamer, for Manila via Amoy. February 20, Peking, British str., for Shanghai.	Classical Quotations,	Forms of Schedule may be had on application at the Office of the Officetal Bank Con-	STANDS with MIRROR, CHEST of	Hongkong, 30th January, 1885. [277		THE HONGKONG ROPE M TURING COMPANY, LIM
		Lite ary Students. The Letter Writer's Vade Mecum and Dictionary Supplement.	LORSTION, STOOL B TOOK T TOOK TOOK B.	* A COTTAGE PIANO, by ERRARD. &c., &c., &c. Carra cours will be issued, and the Furniture	HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANKING CORPORATION. TOTICE is hereby given that the	FROM LONDON. CHIPPING Orders must be obtained from the	NOTICE TO SHAREHOLD
•	Per Lido, str., from Swatow.—6 Chinese. DEPARTED. Macro III Dettet	Mark Twain's New Book, Huckleberry Finn. Cassell's Amateur Photography.	By his Attorneys	on view the day previous to the Sale. TERMS.—Cash.	ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING OF THE SHAREHOLDERS in this CORPORATION will be held at the CITY	for shipment per steamer "SARPEDON." BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents:	will be held at the Office of the C FRIDAY, the 27th February.
	Per Thibei, str., for Kobe.—Messrs. H. Pettit and G. W. Bacon. REPORTS.	The Letter Writer of Modern Society. Werce's Companion Letter Writer. Paynes' Business Letter Writer and Book of	J. MELVILLE MATSON, H. HOWARD TAYLOR. Hongkong. 4th August, 1884. [48]	Hongkong, 17th February, 1885. [371]	HALL, Hongkong, on SATURDAY, the 28th day of February Current, at 11.30 o'CLOCK A.M., for the purpose of receiving the Report of the	Hongkong, 14th February, 1885. 359	O'OLOCK A.M., to receive the Rep General Managers together with a of Accounts to 3rd January, 1885,
	The British steamer Fooksang reports left Saigon on the 14th instrand had strong N.E.	Commercial Forms	TONGKONG&SHANGITAIBANKING	HE Undersigned has received instructions	Court of Directors together with a State-	ONSIGNEES per Company's Steamer	Consulting Committee and Auditors RUSSELL General M
	winds, rain, and heavy head ses. VESSELS ARRIVED IN EUROPE FROM PORTS IN CHINA, JAPAN, AND MANILA.	New Waltzes, including "See-Saw"—Thine	PAID-UP CAPITAL	to Sell by Public Auction, on TUESDAY the 24th instant, at 2 P.M., at No. 3,	T. JACKSON,	are hereby notified that the Cargo is being discharged into Craft, and/or landed at the Godowns of the Undersigned; in both cases it	Hongkong, 21st February, 1885.
	(Per last Mail's Advice.) Ulvases (5.)Shanghai $\mathbf{D} \infty$. 24	_Sweet: Violets_Venetienne_Parthenia_&c.	RESERVE FOR EQUALIZATION OF 400,000.	WEST TERRACE. THE WHOLE OF THE HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE, &c.,	, , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , , ,	will lie at Consignees risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on and after the 16th February, 1885.	THE LARGE & COMMODIOU
•	Orestes (s.) Shanghai Dec. 31 Priam (s.) Shanghai Jan. 1 Reporter Manila Jan. 1	Steady and Ready; One Day of Roses (Adehna	PRIETORS	REP-COVERED DRAWING ROOM SUITE.		I ROLLERLIED & SALLE, PRenes	GARDEN and TENNIS COURTS Entry at once. Apply to
	Figaro Hongkong via Havre Jan. 1 Glenfalloch (s.) Shanghai Jan. 2 Benalder (s.) Yokohama Jan. 6	W. BREWER has just received	Deputy Chairman—Hon. F. D. Sassoon	ENGLISH-MADE MARBLE-TOP CENTRE TABLE, MARBLE-TOP SIDE TABLES, COLOURED PICTURES, MIRRORS,	CORPORATION will be CLOSED from the 14th to the 28th February Current, (both days inclusive), during which period no Transfer of	Hongkong, 14th February, 1885. [339	G. C. AND 4, Praya Hongkong, 21st February, 1885.
*	Jason (8.) Shanghai Jan. 7 VESSELS EXPECTED AT HONGEONG.	Reed's Stability of Ships. Brown's Fuel and Water. Rankine's Steam Engine, New Ed.	H. Hoppins, Esq. M. E. Sassoon, Esq. W. H. Forbes, Esq. Hop. W. Keswick C. D. Bottomley, Esq.	GASALIERS and GAS BRACKETS, and CARPETS. EXTENSION DINING TABLE, SIDE-	Shares can be Registered. By Order of the Court of Directors,	NERVOUS DEBILITY.	TO LET OR LEASE
	(Corrected to Date.) ElizabethLiverpoolvia Cardiff July 23 TsernogoraNew YorkOct. 14	Further Supply of Whitaker's Almanacks. A very Fine Organ by Estey.	CHIEF MANAGER. Hongkong—Thomas Jackson, Esq. Manager.	BOARD, WHATNOTS, GLASS, CROCK- ERY and PLATED WARE. DOUBLE & SINGLEBEDSTEADS, WARD-	Hongkong, 6th February, 1885.	A CURE GUARANTEED. R. E. C. WEST'S NERVE and BRAIN TREATMENT, a Guaranteed Cure for	No. 88 to 102, Queen's Road E
	ThioryaNewportOct. 24 Birnham WoodPenarthNov. 1	very cheap and guaranteed to Stand the Chimate		CHILD'S COTS, TOILET TABLES and	HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE	all Diseases of the Nervous System, such as Hysteria Dizziness Convulsions, Fits, Neuralgia,	No. 1 to 14, TAI WONG LANE.
	New City	Annuals. Christmas Graphic, Christmas Illustrated. Engineer's Annual, Little Folks, Chatterbox	Hongkong—Interest Allowed. On Current Deposit Account at the rate of 2 per cent, per Annum on the daily balance.	GLASS, and WASHSTAND. A SQUARE PIANO, by RALLETT and Pumston,	NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS. THE SIXTEENTH ORDINARY AN	Headache, Wakefulness, Mental Depression, Premature Old Age, caused by Excesses, Over-Exertion of the Brain, or Over-Indulgence (resulting in Insanity, and leading to	No. 2.to 26, SHIP STREET. The Property will be put in there
•	J. V. TroopNew YorkNov. 25 WilnaCardiffDec. 8 Yorkshire (s.)HamburgDec. 11 Devonshire (s.)LondonDec. 13	Harper's Monthly, Linsley's, Grant's, Belgravia Miss Braddon's, Beeton's Yule Side, World Truth, Santa Claus, London Society, &c., &c.	On rixed Deposits:— For 3 months 3 per Cent. per Annum.	CATALOGUES will be issued. TERMS OF SALE.—As Customary.	I NUAL MEETING OF SHARE	(resulting in Insanity, and leading to Misery, Decay, and Death). The Remedy is from the Prescription of an Eminent Physician, and has been tested and used	Entry from 1st April. TENDERS to be Lodged with the on or before 20th March. For Further Particulars apply to
	Rufus E. Wood Cardiff Dec. 16 Merionethshire (s.). H'barg via London. Dec. 20 Bantam (s.) Glasgow Dec. 23	New Plush Hand Bags, New Dormer Cards. New Ladies' Companious. Gent's Calf Oxford Shoes.	For 12 months 5 per Cent. per Annum. LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED. Creates granted on approved Securities, and	J. M. ARMSTRONG, Austicacor. Hongkong, 19th February, 1885. [386]	Road, at Twelve O'CLOCK, NOON, of SATUR DAY, the 28th February instant, to receive a Statement of Accounts to the 31st December	denit great success for years therefore	G. C. ANI 4. Prays
	Highland Chief Cardiff Dec. 29 Lydia (s.) Hamburg Dec. 31 Elektra (s.) Trieste Jan. 2	Kid Elastic Shoes. Oxford Patient Shoes. Ladies' Boots and Shoes. Children's Boots and Shoes.	There description of Banking and Exchange besiness transacted. DRAFTS granted on London, and the chief	INSURANCES.	1884, the Report of the General Managers, and to cloot a Consulting Committee and Auditors. The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company	Refunded to Every Parchaser of Six Boxes. Each Box contains One Month's Treatment,	NOTICE
	Sarpedon (s.) Liverpool Jan. 3 Merionethshire (s.) London Jan. 6	New Songs, New Dance Music. Violin Music, Violin Strings.	commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan. T. JACKSON, Chief Manager.	FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, OF 1877.	JARDINE, MATHESON & Co.,	S7.00. Sent Post Free on receipt of P.O.O. by W. CRUIKSHANK, Chemist, Sole Agent, Hongkong.	BY order of His Notherlands M. sular Court for Hisgo-Osak
	FOR SALE.	W. BREWER, Queen's Road'. NEXT DOOR TO HONGKONG HOTEL. [2]	Hongkong, 25th August, 1884 [6 NOTICE.	THE Undersigned, Agents of the above Company, are Prepared to ACCEPT	Hongkong Fire Insurance Co., Limited. Hongkong, 6th February, 1885.	For Liver Complaint and Dyspepsia use	has been appointed Administrator of and Effects of Henry Johanne
	TOR SALE. FOR SALE. "MONOPOLE"	BOWRINGTON FOUNDRY, EAST POINT.	RULES OF THE HONGKONG SAVINGS BANK.	Agents.	SARAWAK.	INDO-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED.	Master Mariner. CHS. BRAES President of H.N.M.'s Con
	"MONOPOLE SEC" (DRY). CARLOWITZ & Co.,	A. G. GORDON & Co., ENGINEERS and SHIP BUILDERS, A RE Prepared to Undertake every descrip	1.—The business of the above Bank will be conducted by the Hongkong and Shangha	Hongkong, 18th January, 1884. [193]	THE Undermentioned Farms, commencing	CERTIFICATE No. 1,123 for THREE	for Hiogo-Osak WITH reference to the above.
			Hongkong. Business hours on week-days, 16 to 3: Saturdays, 10 to 1.	QUEEN FIRE INSURANCE	Public Auction at the Court House, Kuching Sarawak, on the 1st April, 1885.	name of ONG KEE has been LOST, and should the same not be produced before the	JOHANNES HUBENET, to make po without delay, and I also request
	FOR SALE AT WHOLESALE PRICES	Guaranteed. ESTIMATES formished for the construction of the Const	hai Banking Corporation will form a direct Security for the renayment of sums deposited in	t pany, are prepared to ACCEPT RISKS or First-class Godowns at 1 per Cent. Nett pre	n Sarawak from Tanjong Datu to Baram river - linelusive.	- Illustranoto Will DDL DJ POUUS MADA VY VAV	nes Hubenet to send particulars of to me at their earliest convenience.
	SACCONE'S SHERRY—Bottled by Sir Frederick Perkins, London.	and Bothers of STEAM SHIPS, CASTING	S, the above Bank. 3.—Sums less than \$1, or more than \$250 at one time will not be received. No deposite	t NORTON & Co., Agents. Hongkong, 20th May, 1881.	district of Sarawak Proper, viz. from Tanjong 1 Data to Sadone river inclusive.	JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Ganeral Managers.	FERD. PI Admir Kobs, 3rd January, 1885.
•	MANZANILLA. In case of 1 dozen quarts. LIGHT DRY.	GEORGE GOULE	tions, of Trusts, &c., in addition to the De	SUN FIRE OFFICE	- -	TEW YEAR PRESENTS	
	In case of 1 dozen quarts. LAGER BIER—Pts. and Qts. ALE, Bass & Co., Pale—Qts. and Pts.	PUSTAU & Co., Agents.	1 M GOLDAL, HURAS GO NO DA SURVIGIRA CRUSTA CON-CON	A TORUTORU TRITTI TOURS OF BUT DEFINITE OF SOCIETY	e CUTLER PALMER & Co Wine Shippers	CHOICE PORCELAIN WARE, DINNER AND DESSERT SERVICES,	
•	STOUT, GUINNESS'S EXTRA—Qts. and Pts Apply to W. G. HUMPHREYS & Co.,	Hong Bong, 10th & dividity, 2001.	stamps to a form to be obtained at the Bank of at the Post Office. When the form is presented with ten clean stamps the depositor will be credited and dellar.	d LINSTEAD & DAVIS,	OF LONDON, BORDEAUX, CALCUTTA, BOMBAY MADRAS, LAHORE, KURRACHEE, &c.	CURIOS, FURNITURE, &c., &c. CASSUMBHOY, Opposite City Hall.	of the Jockey Club, Free; for N
	Bank Buildings, Sole Agents for China. Hongkong, 21st November, 1884. [29]	NOTICES OF FIRMS NOTICE.	credited one dollar. 6.—Depositors in the Savings Bank having \$100 or more at their credit may at their options to the Hangkong and Shang	g Hongkong, 12th May, 1881. [1	Their Representatives in China— Messis Jahuine, Matheson & Co. Hongkong BIEMSSEN & Co. and	CHRISTMAS CAKES,	\$5 for the Meeting. For Admission Stand \$1 per diem. RIULE 16.—Tickets of Admission
:	FOR SALE.	THE FOREIGN TAILOR SHOP No. 6 Oneen's Road Central, under the Sty	transfer the same to the Hongkong and Shang hai Banking Corporation on fixed deposit for le 12 months at 5 per cent. per annum interest. s. 7.—Deposits may be forwarded from the	LIMITED.	" LANE, CHAWFORD & Co.) Shanghai Call attention to some of the items consigned to	AND ALL LUXURIES	Grand Stand and Enclosure to be cation to J. THURBURN, Es Treasurer, and at the Gate on Ra
	CHAMPAGNE, 1880, WHITE SEAL. \$19 per case of 1 dozen quarts. \$20 per case of 2 dozen pints.	It has been much obliged by its Customer Mr. Leving Surv. in the year 1883, entered in	s. Ports by means of clean Hongkong Postag	pared to GRANT POLICIES on MARINI	CLARETS, Larose, Monton, St. Julien, &		one admitted without a Ticket, to the Gare-Keeper. H. J. H.
· .	GRAN VIN CHATEAU LEOVILLE. \$24 per case of 1 dozen quarts. UHATEAU LAROSE.	February, 1885, he has resigned his post to a somewhere else. Customers and Debtors	go annum will be allowed to Depositors on the	rates. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co.	STILL HOCK. CHAMPAGNE, Royal Wine, as supplied	d Hongkong, 22nd December, 1884. 5	Hongkong, 19th February, 1885.
,	\$12per case of 1 dozen quarts.	come personally to the Shop to pay what the	with a Pass-Book which must be presented with	h	 to Her Majesty. SHERRY, Selected White Seal and Amoros 	CALIXTE IMBERT,	COMPANY, LIMIT

Far East and receive Sample Consignments of Goods. Communications in English and French.

HHE Undersigned have been appointed Solo Telegraphic Address:-Agents for the Sale of their Goods in Hongkong and China by Messre. J. & R. TEN-

NENT, Glasgow, and Messrs. DAVID CORSAR & Sons, Arbroath. ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, January, 1867 PORTLAND CEMENT J.B. WHITE & BROS.

SOLE AGENTS FOR CHINA, HOLLIDAY WISE & Co. Hongkong, 11th April 1883.

WINTER TIME TABLE. THE KOWLOON FERRY.

STEAM-LAUNCH "MORNING STAR"

hours :- This Time-Table will take offect from the 1st November, 1884. WEEK DAYS. SUNDAYS. Hongkong Howloon 7,00 A.M. 6.00 A.M Leaves Leaves Lowloon. 6.00 A.M. 6.00 A.M. 7.30 9.00 11,00 8.00 ,, 8.50 ,, 8.30 ,, 9.00 .. 9,40 10.45 12.30 13.30 P.M. 1.30 1.00 P.M. 12,45 P.M.

Leaves Hongkong 7.00 A.M. 10,15 ,, 12.00 NOON. 1.00 P.M. 2.30 3.20 4.20 4.50 6.30 3.00 4.00 **-2.00**--,,--2.20 3.20 5.20 3,00 ,, 3,50 ,, 4,80 ,, 4.35 ,, 5.10 4.10 5.10 5.40 5.25 7.00 6.05 The above Time Table will be strictly adhered to except under unavoidable circumstances. In

TDERS for SPECIE, MEXICAN DOL-LARS Current in this Colony, weighing in exchange for BILLS drawn ON DE-D on the GOVERNMENT OF INDIA, CALwill be received by the District Pay-Army Pay Department, until Twelve on TUESDAY, the 24th instant. Tenders to state the Total Amount re-(in Rupees) and the amount for which sill should be drawn, but no Bills will be for sums below Rs. 10,000. Tenders to be in Duplicate, in Sealed , addressed to "The District Pay-

lers for Government Bills." right to accept or reject any or all the ra is reserved. ARTHUR GELSTON, Major, Staff Paymaster. asury Chest Office,

neen's Road, Hongkong, 20th February, 1885. OR SWATOW AND BANGKOK.

SCOTTISH ORIENTAL STEAM-SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED. E Company's Steamer PHRA CHULA CHOM KLAO,"

in H. Lightwood, will be despatched for ove Ports on TUESDAY, the 24th inst., Freight or Passage, apply to YUEN FAT HONG,

Agents. ngkong, 21st February, 1885.

HONGKONG ROPE MANUFAC-TURING COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

IE FIRST ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING OF SHAREHOLDERS be held at the Office of the Company, on DAY, the 27th February, at ELEVEN CK A.M., to receive the Report of the ral Managers together with a Statement counts to 3rd January, 1885, and to elect ulting Committee and Auditors.

RUSSELL & Co., General Managers. ngkong, 21st February, 1885. TO LET.

ELARGE & COMMODIOUS HOUSE at Kowloon, known as "Belvue," with DEN and TENNIS COURTS attached. at once. pply to G. C. ANDERSON, 4. Praya Central.

ongkong, 21st February, 1885. TO LET OR LEASE. NDERS WANTED for the following

TENEMENTS:-88 to 102, Queen's Road East. 15 to 22, PRAYA. 1 to 14, TAI-WONG LANE. 1 to 27, TAL WONG STREET.

2 to 26, Do. 2.to 26, SHIP STREET. no Property will be put in thorough Repair. ev from 1st April. before 20th March. or Further Particulars apply to

G. C. ANDERSON, 4. Praya Contral. ongkong, 21st February, 1885.

NOTICE. Y order of His Netherlands Majesty's Consular Court for Hiogo-Osaka, dated the

of January, 1885, Mr. FERDINAND PLATE been appointed Administrator of the Estate Effects of HENRY JOHANNES HUBENET, ter Mariner. CHS. BRAESS. President of H. N.M.'s Consular Court

for Hiogo-Osaka.

TTH reference to the above, I request all ons indebted to the above-named HENRY IANNES HUBENET, to make payment to me

cont delay, and I also request all persons ing claims against the said HENRY JOHAN-HUBENET to send particulars of such claims e at their earliest convenience. FERD. PLATE. Administrator. obe, 3rd January, 1885.

HONGKONG RACES, 1885.

DNESDAY, THURSDAY, & FRIDAY, 25th, 26th, and 27th February, 1885.

ULE 15.—Admission to the Grand STAND and ENCLOSURE for Members he Jockey Club, Free; for Non-Members, for the Meeting. For Admission to the New nd 31 per diem. EULE 16.—Tickers of Admission to the

and Stand and Enclosure to be had on applion to J. THURBURN, Esq., Honorary asurer, and at the Gate on Race Days. No admitted without a Ticket, to be shown to GATE-KEEPER.

H. J. H. TRIPP, Clerk of the Course. ongkong, 19th February, 1885.

THE CHINA & JAPAN TELEPHONE COMPANY, LIMITED.

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- MAIL TABLES.

THE TABLE of ARRIVALS and DEPAR-TURES OF ENGLISH and FRENCH MAILS Runs Daily as a Ferry Boat between PEDDAR's at and from London and Hongkone with WHARF and TSIM-TSA-TSUI at the following Anglo-Chinese Calendar can be had at 10 Cents each or \$1 per dozen. "Daily Press" Office. 5th January, 1885

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

HE Undersigned have REMOVED from their Old Premises to No. 52, LYNDHURST TERRACE. MEERZA EBRAHIM & Co. Hongkong, 9th February, 1885.

A N ENGLISHMAN, of long experience A in China having some leisure time, would be glad to Undertake ACCOUNTANT or other WORK. Thoroughly satisfactory references to present imployers and Others. Address Care of Office of this Paper Hongkong, 14th January, 1885.

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For the Hongkond and Shanghai Bank- THE LONDON ASSURANCE.

Hongkong, 27th March, 1876.

Hongkong, 1st January 1882.

COMPANY AT HAMBURG.

INCORPORATED BY BOYAL CHARTER OF HIS

MAJESTY KING GEORGE THE FIRST.

A.D. 1720.

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HONGKONG, FEBRUARY 21st, 1485.

Whiley the present rage among European Powers for annexation continues, no fresh movement in this direction need surprise any me. In self-lofence Great Britain may be obliged to assume complete possession of territories to which she would rather extend a protectorate. Whether there is any truth in the rumour to which the Straits. Times has given currency, to the effect that Governor Sir FREDERICE WEDD -will return to Singapercarmed with full powers to annex the M day states of Perak, Selangor, and Sungie Ujong, we are unable to siv, but it is by no mouns improbable, though for all practical purposes they re really British now. may, he werer, have been deemed advisable to annex these states and form them into one government with Penang and Singapore. At present the Straits Sattlements consist of the island of Singapore; the territory of Malacea; the Bridings, on the coast of Perak. and forming part of that state; the island of left here yesterday for Manila. Penang, and the opposite strip of territory on the mainland known as Province Welleskong STAMP DUTIES, which will shortly key, formerly part of Quedah or Kedah. The Shoipoo. anneration of the three protected states would unite the British possessions into one with the next outward French mail, left Saigon large province extending from Johors to Quedab. It is no doubt intended to invite constantly required by residents and those Que lab to place itself under British protect mander Bromley, returned to her mooring a veshaving commercial or political relations with the | time, and the sparsely peopled states of Patani, Kelantan, Tringano, and Pahang on the east of the peniasula, would also be brought under the British protectorate ere long. The states already under British protection have the 22nd ultime, has arrived at Yokohama, and prospered so greatly, and the inhabitants are will leave for this port to-day. so contented that there can be little doubt the Malays of the eastern provinces would be glad to accept British rule in exchange rican men; of-war and merchant vessels in Hongfor the tyranny of their rajahs.

The three states which have been men- 23rd February. tioned as likely to be annexed have made great strides since they have enjoyed the advantages of British rule. British capita! has been invested largely in the development of their resources, and British interests there | Tigris, to make preparations to give the French are now of considerable importance. This a warm reception in case they should attempt to fact will be demonstrated by a few statistics lief appears to exist among the Chinese officials concerning these states, which may be new that Canton is really threatened. to some at least of our readers. First in order of importance is Perak, the most -Under the instructions of Her Majesty's Gonortherly of the trio. This state has a const line of about ninety miles in length, and extends inland nearly as far. The total nopulation is about 100,000, of whom half are Milays, and nearly all the other moiety Chinese. The revenue, which in 1877 was | \$327,886, amounted in 1883 to \$1,474,330 the expenditure has increased from \$314,623 in 1877 to \$1,350,610 in 1883. The value of the imports in 1883 was \$4,895,940, and that of the exports \$5,625,365, about five day, as follows:times as much as the imports and exports of 1877. The progress of the state has been as steady as it has been rapid. The exports are tin, timber, gutta-percha, and sugar, but other valuable products of the tropics can be successfully raised there. Selangor lies between Perak and Sungie Ujong, has an area of about 4,800 square miles, and contains about 50,000 inhabitants, of whom the majority are Chinese. The revenue for 1883 amounted to \$450.544 and the expenditure to \$448,703. The state bas a debt of \$230,650. The value of the imports in 1883 was \$1,526,914 and that of the exports \$2,253,639. the total increase in the value of trade in that year over 1882 being no less than \$884,806. Sungie Ujong is a smaller state and adjoins the British territory of Malacca, which, by the way, ought in the event of amalgamation to give its name to the peninsula and Colony. Sungie Ujong has an estimated area of 500 square miles, and its population consists of some 10,000 Chinese and 4,000 manufacture. These people had derived most of Mulays. The revenue in 1833 reached the sum

have largely and steadily increased for the past

nine years. The same remarks apply to the

in 1883 being \$625,592 and of the imports

\$669,908, as compared with \$417,971 and

Malay native states except Johore, violence,

them roads have been constructed and planting and mining onterprises are being activeall the planting and the mining industry are carried on by Chinese and British or foreign subjects, the Malays being too indolent to engage actively in the pursuit of either commerce or agriculture. These countries are all in their infancy as yet, and are capable of austaining twenty times their present population. It is intended to promote Indian immigration, and the Malayan peninsula ought to be regarded by the British Government as an outlet for the large and increasing surplus of the population of India. The future interests of Her Majesty's Indian subjects should be considered as well as the interests of those resident in Great Britain and the Colonies, and these cannot be better secured than by providing for the surplus population of that great empire new fields for their industry where they will still enjoy the blessings of a just administration and the protection of the British flag. "

a case heard at the Police Court on Thursday shows that bouseholders would do well to be on their guard as to the quality of butter supplied to them by their compradores. In the case referred to two Chinese shopkeepers were charged with selling something described as butter which was unfit for human food. Complaints had been made to the Inspector of Markets as to the quality which, it was said, had cause I sickness in host in herself. Her singing is considerably some of the persons consuming it. Inspecso-called butter and had it analysed by the Govern ment analyst. The analysis showed All letters for publication should be written on one | that the substance was in fact, not butter at all, but a compound of hog's fat, ash, and various other substances, the compound to an affair of this kind, as he sings well, and forming what is known as butterine. This. Orders for extra copies of the Daily Press should it seems, is not necessarily deleterious to health, but, it can hardly be considered! wholesome food, and that it should disagree with sensitive atomachs is not surprising. we cannot but consider a miscarriage of justice. It may be true that a Chinaman seven selected from the audience. Gunner Stecan form but a very poor judgment of the venson, R.A., was adjudged the best, and Ganquality of butter, but he soon becomes act ner Egan, R.A., second, but the latter was disquainted with different brands and knows that he had gained a prize for the same which are good and which are bad. If by song in some previous competition. Private the infliction of a penalty in this case (it might have been a nominal one if the magis- titled to premier place, as he gave his comic trate thought there were extenuating cir. song remarkably well. The first prize was a cumstances) the shopkeepers had been given to understand that the sale of butterine or oleomaggerine under the name of butter was tainment, acted as chairman very efficiently, and illegal they would in future have been on their guard when making their purchases from the importers and would have taken the competition would be a silver watch. The of ice. I make these remarks because some pains to satisfy themselves that what they bought as butter was not any other penses, goes to the funds of the Temperance Hall. substance. In England, it is hardly necessair to sic, persons selling other substances under the name of butter are very severely "dealt with when detected, Mr. Wrse's decision that to do the same thing in Hongkong is no offence is far from reassuring to 8 a.m. - Parade Service. Moraing Prayer and Ser

The British sloop Flying Fish, Capt. Maclear.

The French gunboat Aspic, Lieut.-Comman der Jonquieres, arrived here yesterday from

The Messageries Maritimes steamer Peiho. at 4 p.m. yesterday for this port. H.M. double-screw gun-vessel Swift, Com-

terday morning from the wreck of the steamer We are informed by the agent that the Occidental and Oriental Steamship Co.'s steamer Oceanic, with mails, &c., from San Francisco to

We are informed that as the anniversary of the birthday of George Washington—the 22nd of February—comes this year on Sunday, the Amekong harbour will dress ship on Monday, the

We hear from Canton that the scare caused by the rumour that the French intend to make an attack on that city still continues. Peng Yu-lin, the Imperial Commissioner for Coast Defence, who left Canton on the 12th instant for Bocca ascend the river, still remains there, and a be-

The following appears in the Straits Gazette vernment, it is hereby notified that British subjects going into Malay States where there is no British Official, for the purposes of trade or any other commercial enterprise, will not be entitled to the protection of the Government. Further, that both in the present and in the future, the Government reserves to itself complete liberty of action as to recognising any concessions that may have been granted by the native rulers of

any such State. The Offertory funds which had accumulated from Easter to Christmas were divided at a

To the Cathedral funds \$400.00 Colonial Chaplain, for charities..... Baxter Mission 50.00

Recently two natives lost their lives within the rondstead at Tagal in Java from one of them, a boatman, on finding bimself left behind on board the steamer Prine Alexander when she was on the point of leaving that port, jumping into the sea to regain his praku which had cast off from the vessel, he being drowned in the attempt. The other native was killed by a shark when swimming from another prahu to his resoue. Official inquiries into the affair have, it is said, resulted in clearing the commander and officers of the steamer of all blame in the matter, the entries in the log book proving that the man umped from her into the sea of his own accord. upon which a plank was thrown to him from on board to ensure his safety.—Straits Times.

ciety of Great Britain, Dr. St. George Ellictt exhibited and presented to the Museum some very curious artificial dentures of Japanese their technical and scientific knowledge from the of \$117,144 and the supenditure \$153,686; both | advance of their teachers; for whilst the latter could only carve a row of incisors and fasten them to the teeth on either side, the Japanese could make thoroughly serviceable dentures, trade of the state, the value of the exports and had been acquainted with the fixing of dentures by suction for about two hundred years. The exhibited teeth were mounted on hard wood: The members of a congressiately held at Vienna the front teeth were made from quartz, pebbles visited, with their wives, a wealthy Benedictine carefully ground down, but the process of masti- monastery. The spacious, well-filled library, cation was performed by copper mails, which oc- scientific collections, gardens, park, the levely cupied the place of the molars. One of these view, and a generous collation raised their admibloodshed, and extortion prevailed before the dentures had been in use for fifteen years. Dr. ration to the utmost. As they left, an en-Elliott gave a very interesting account of the thusiastic lady said to one of the younger monks. way in which they were made and fitted, which "You are in heaven here."-He was equal to the caused considerable wonderment at the ingenuity occasion: "We should be," he replied, "but that tion. Consequently Mr. Taylor's amendment is duct badge. joyed, prosperity reigns, and in all of displayed.

The following are the scores made by the competitors in the annual volunteer competition last Monday, from which it will be seen that . . ly prosecuted. In these states by far the Lieutenant and Adjutant McCallum is top larger portion of the population is alien, and scorer, and the holder of the challenge oup for this year. The method of scoring has already been described. To day those who did not compete here will compete with 6.6-inch howitzer at Belcher's Bay Battery, and next Saturday there will probably be some firing from the 9-inch guns either at Stene-cutters Island

North Point :-1 Lieutenant McCallum 80 marks. 2 Gunner Wood 28 Sergeant Miles...... 18 9 Corporal Read 12 Major Tripp 16
13 Gunner White 12
14 Leoutenant Moseley 10
15 Gunner Woodford 10 16 Gunner Scott 17 Quarter-Master Sergeant Mehta ... 18 Gunner Dade 1 Corporal Atkins 20 Sergeant-Major Denson 8

The concert at the Temperance Hall

Thursday night proved a very great success. is the first of a series which have been inauguviding weekly or fortnightly entertainments for soldiers and sailors, and others who feel the need of some popular kind of amusement of character suited to their taste, and a price suited to their means. There has always been want of this kind of entertainment, and the promoters of the movement deserve much praise for their efforts. The prices of admission were -reserved seats fifty cents, and the rest ten cents. The latter seats were quite filled, and the audience evidently appreciated the efforts that were being made to amuse them, for every item was received with enthusiastic applause. In securing above the average, and her selections on the piano and cabinet organ were excellent; she also of Sullivan's "Lost Chord" to her own accom- far quiet. paniment upon the organ called forth a vociforous encore, and Mrs. Gritton kindly complied with the call by substituting "At the Ferry." Mr. Gritton's comic singing was also well received. Mr. Scott is also a great acquisition gave comic songs and a comic recitation with capital effect. Mr. W. Watt sang "Nancy Lee" in good style, and the well known chorus was joined in heartily by the house. Mr. Swales and Mr. Morden also gave songs that were loudly applauded, and with chornsos that were lustily taken up. The feature of the evening, however, was Seven competitors came forward and gave a song each, and were judged by a committee of qualified on the somewhat populiar ground Martin, R.M.L.I., was awarded second honours. In the opinion of some Egan was enbriar pipe in case, a box of tobacco, and match box, and the second a box of cigars. Mr. Swales who took an active part in getting up the enterhe announced that from the success of the pre sent concert he hoped to get up another about a fortnight, when the first prize balance of the proceeds of these entertainments ! after purchasing the prizes and other ex-

CHURCH OF ENGLAND SERVICES FOR TO-1st SUNDAY IN LENT.

11 a.m. -Morning Prayer, Litany, and Sermon, the \$23,643, the dividend 10 per cent., and \$3,000 was Colonial Chaplain. 3.30 p.m.—Children's Service, the Colonial Chapla 5.45 p.m.—Evening Prayer and Sermon; Preacher Rev. H. B. Harper, B.N.

T. PETER'S CHURCH. 5 p.m.—Evening Prayer and Sermon, the Bishop. GARRISON THEATRE. 7.30 p.m. -Soldiers' Voluntary Service, Rev. O. Chesnutt. Preacher, the Bishop. ST. STEPHEN'S CHURCH. (AL Services 11 a.m. - Morning Prayer, &c., Revs. J. B. Ost and Fong Yat San. Preacher, the Bishop. 6.30 p.m. -Evening Prayer and Sermon, Rovs. J. B.

Ost and Fong Yat Sau.

LATEST TELEGRAMS London, 19th February THE WAR IN THE SOUDAN. The British troops have abandoned Gubat and

retired to Abu Kles The Mahdi is reported to be marching on Metammeh with 50,000 men.

THE CAPTURE OF LANGSON. A telegram was received in town yesterday from Tonquin stating that General Negrier, in taking Langson, captured a vast quantity of stores. No details as to fighting or loss of life diture of some money upon it. I think it and I was put to great and unforeseen expenses

THE EXPORT OF RICE FROM TONQUIN. The following telegram has been received by the French Consul in this port from M. Lemaire, French Resident-General at Hué:-

Hue, 20th February. The export of rice from Tonquin, which had to the shareholders who are not satisfied with suggested to me was too strong to be resisted been authorized from the 1st December, 1884. to 1st March, 1885 is henceforth declared free. and this order shall not be suspended without a previous notice of two months to the public.

THE DESTRUCTION OF THE TWO

CHINESE MEN-OF-WAR. By the French gunboat Aspic, which arrived have had pleasure in proposing 14 per cent. this your inspection will sufficiently prove.

There from Sheipoo yesterday, some details of the year, but for one consideration, which was that "I wish to express my deep contrition of the naval engagement between the French and Chineseffects in the Sheipoo-roads have come to hand. provide against any casualties, and as we can for the distress in my family, and the straitened At the time the attack was made there was adense | have our 10 per cent. and our reserve of \$30,000 | circumstances in which I was thereby placed I meeting of the Cathedral Trustees on Thurs- fog prevailing, and the torpedo boats of the I think it would give more general satisfaction would never have dreamed of arting as I did. I Bayard were enabled to get close to the Chinese vessels before they were perceived, when they it up to \$30,000. I would therefore move that a entreat your Lordship to take into your mercihowever, and the men well covered, so that only one casualty occurred to the French. Fearly all of the crews of the sunken ships succeeded in getting to shore in their boats. The other Chinese vessels were enabled to escape by the fog. The above account is a complete confirmation of the telegram received by us from Shanghai and published in Thursday's issue.

> THE WRECK OF THE STEAMER " CASTELLO."

We stated yesterday that all hope of saving this vessel was at an end. This is now beyond the shadow of a doubt, for during the night the wind continued strong, and the sea high, and the Castello broke her back. After that her stern gradually settled down into deep water, but, contrary to former expectations, she At the last meeting of the Odontological So- did, not come off the island, where her fore part yet remains fixed. At present there is very little saved from the wreck but if the weather should become calm in time, all that is possible will be done to cave Chinese, but in this matter they were far in her fittings and anything else that can be removed. Only a small portion of her cargo has been saved, and it is very questionable, whether the coal will be worth the cost of salvage.

The monk does not always cease to be a man.

APPREHENDED RISING AT SAIGON.

Unité Indo-Chinolité of the 13th instant, received ast night, states that the village of Hoo-Moune, twenty kilometres from the town, was down during the night of the 9th instant, and carry to the reserve \$5,750 instead of \$7,000. that the phu (préfet du canton) was assassinated together with his wife and all his household. This news, added to the feeling of danger on- the amendment. I only regret that for a dif- he was the guilty party: gendered by the presence of robels at Tayninh ference of \$1 a share on 1,250 shares, or for a sum His Lordship—He did so on the ground that and Banam, produced great excitement at of \$1,250, there should have been this opposition other men were in trouble. I believe. Saigon. Inquiries showed that the natives in Saigon itself had for a fortnight been anticipating trouble; native women living with Porhaps it is a purchase which will not be ap- His Lordship, in passing sentence, said-Europeans had informed their protectors that they were to be murdered, and a woman living at Cape St. James had ordered her son, that they should confirm, and I shall be very mit a crime of this sort; because the crime who was in service at Saigon, to leave the town, as massacres were about to commence The inquiries being further prosecuted revealed a plot to burn the town. Happily it was discovered in time to allow of precautions being taken. The Unite In to Chinoise says, however, that the measures taken by the Council of De fence are insufficient. Landing parties from the rated by a committee for the purpose of pro- ships in harbour patrol the town night and day, but they would hardly be sufficient to hold it, and if they had to be sent into the interior the place would be left altogether undefended. Our contemporary does not mention where the troops are; probably they have had to leave for the disturbed districts in Cambodia and on the frontior. It is urged that the European residents should be formed into a civil gaurd and supplied should be declared. Had anything extraordinary happened at Sai-

the butter sold at the defendants' shops, have been most fortunate, for that lady was a 1 gon since the date of the paper from which the above information is taken telegraphic news would no doubt have been received of it. It may Correspondents are requested to forward their name | tor Orley thereupon procured some of the accompanied veryably throughout. Her singing | be assumed, therefore, that everything is so

> HONGKONG ICE COMPANY. LIMITED.

shareholders of the Hongkong Ice Company, this last year the Company seems in a position Commodore Morant—Quite right, my Lord. Limited, was held at the office of the General to pay 12 per cent. dividend I think the matter. They deserve it, and I hogo they will get it, shareholders of the Hongkong Ice Company. Managers, Messrs. Jardine, Mutheson, and Co., should be left over for another year. yesterday morning. There were present-Hon. W. Keswick (Chairman), S. R. Marons, M. A. Curvalho, R. C. Vania, R. Debiee, A. Abdoolally, V. C. da Rocha, A. O'D. Gourdin, D. McCulloch, C. S. Taylor, F. A. Gomes, G. S. Coxon, A. S. The magistrate dismissed the charge, which a singing competition open to soldiers and sailors. | Cohen, M. B. Polishwalls, W. N. Bun (Manager), and H. C. Maclean (Secretary).

The CHAIRMAN said - Gentlemen, the report in your hands shows that in the receipts during last year there has been a diminution of was reduced, and that that reduction was con- another year. saquent upon a threatened opposition, and further. I should add, it was in harmony with the original intention of the Ice Company when ! Would it be a hardship to anyone? it was formed. The promoters—I myself was here at the time—had in view the supply of good ice at a reasonable price for the benefit of all, while at the same time the Ice Company should also, be considered as a commercial undertaking that is to say, the intention of its being a money making thing was not to be ignored, some of the shareholders to regard the 9 per i cent. dividend which the General Managers recommend as being too small a return. Looking back to the previous years, in the first year of the company's existence the profits were \$29,635, the dividend 10 per cent., and \$6,250 was exerted to were \$24,687, the dividend 12 per cent, and \$9,000 was carried to the reserve fund: in the wise to increase the price they will do so: third year, which was 1883, the profits were

carried to the receive fund. Last year the profits | was requested to do so. were \$18,435. We propose 9 per cent as a dividend and \$7,000 to be carried to the reserve fund. The return is a very fair and proper one for such an undertaking, seeing that in addition to the 9 per cent. there is an accumulation of reserve, a reserve which we hope will prevent any interference with the ice supply so long as the cost of the ice to the public is fairly moderate. There is another reason on which I think you will understand the general managers are right in concluding that 9 per cent, should be the dividend, this year. This is not mentioned in the re port because the purchase requires your confirmation before it becomes legal, but we have bought the property in Ice House lane, the Ice House. The tenure was unsatisfactory; there was no title to it, and we were there as Royal Naval Yard at Kowloon, who pleaded that property in the condition in which they were, and I arranged the purchase for \$12,500. The ground rent is \$126.40 per annum. We receive, outside our own use of the premises, \$82 a may be even further utilized by the expent through illness which had occurred in my family, is desirable that that property should be paid in having to provide medical assistance. for by the Company; there are sufficient funds for that, but I should like in addition to the quite unable to obtain the money to pay it property to have our reserve fund intact. We although I made every endeavour to do so cannot continue to keep it intact in the inand the property to boot. I hope these remarks the Admirally. The temptation to raise the will be taken in the spirit in which I offer them money I required in the only way that was the dividend proposed. I shall be glad to answer and I was a party to selling about 90 tons of any questions with respect to the working of the coal. In doing this I never intended to keep Company or the property we have acquired. the money. I only took it on loan, which it was taken with a bad grace if I venture to dis- means.

sent from the views expressed by the General "I have now served the Admiralty for a period will second it.

Mr. Polishwalla—I second. The CHAIRMAN-You move an amendment to Mr. TAYLOR-No. I move 10 per cent.

The CHAIRMAN—That is an amendment to lenient sentence. the report. The regular way will be for me to nove the adoption of the report. I hope some one will second it. Before that is put to the character. The first was given by Commodore meeting you will propose an amendment in the Cuming, and certified that the prisoner joined spirit of your remarks, and that will make the the Naval Yard Police Force on the 16th Decourse regular. I propose the adoption of the re- cember, 1872, and was discharged on the 7th port and the passing of the accounts as laid be- March, 1883, at his own request, his character fore the meeting. Mr. GOURDIN seconded.

Mr. TAYLOR then proposed as an amendment that the report be amended to the extent of the dividend being \$10 per share instead of \$9. Mr. Polishwalla seconded. The CHAIRMAN-I would remark, gentlemen,

that I think some deference should be shown to Deputy Inspector-General Wells. the experience and views of the General Manthat as the success of the past has not been dis- throw myself upon the mercy of the Court. amendment will please signify their assent. The given him by Commodore Cuming. amendment is that the report be amended to the A certificate was also put in from Captain Mi-

propose a poll on this subject. amendment and 34 in favour of the original me- character was very good, and he had a good concarried by a majority of 40. I should like to . Commodore Morant, who was in attendance, wrapped up in it.

Alarming, news comes from Saigon. The mit them to another meeting. counts that requires amendment. The report your Lordship would take in consideration his recommends a dividend of \$9 a share. The previous good character, in the case of Brown, accounts don't include that. You will simply I should appeal to you to make a difference be-That will make the reserve up to \$30,000.

and I declare now that the report is passed with there is the mitigation that he did acknowledge to the recommendations of the General Man- Commodore Morant-Ho did, on the ground ngers. I have mentioned, gentlemen, the pur- that other men were in trouble, but were not chase of the property in Ice House lane, guilty. proved of by the gentlemen who seem to have It is always a painful-thing to see two taken a view so antagonistic to the company, but men like you who have always borne a it is a purchase which I can strongly recommend good character, forget themselves and comglad if the shareholders will propose the con- you have committed is such that it cannot firmation of that purchase by the General be passed lightly over. You were both of you

Mr. McCullocu-I beg. Mr. Chairman, to protecting the public, and public goods were propose that the purchase be sanctioned. At the entrusted to your care. The law makes a great same time I beg to remark that I think the distinction between a simple largery and a case shareholders have every confidence in the General of largeny committed under the circumstances Managers. It was simply a question of dividend. I beg to propose that the purchase be manctioned. Mr. Polishwalla seconded.

by Mr. Goundin, Mr. T. Arnold was re-elected ing 14 years. Taking all the circum truces

again to the price of two cents a pound. Commodore, will be five years. Of course I have no sympathy with this movement you both understand that if you behave myself. but I will read out their reasons yourselves well in prison, a considerable with arms, and above all that a state of siege -"The reduction in price was made in view portion of both sentences will be remitted, and if of a threatened opposition. At the moment you have anything to urg with regard to the there seems no prospect of any opposition. The clamency of the Crown, your petitions will be past year's working shows that a reduction in presented to the Governor after you have arry T price does not increase the consumption. Conglisome portion of your partishment. It are not to sumers do not object to pay two cents. The mothat in this case considerable blame at two tract total income from ice would not support two com- to some Chinese coal dealers, who seem to have panies. The present company has a good re- tempted these men, so far as Locald gather from serve, and is in a sufficiently strong position to the deposition and they deserve punishment deter an opposition that could not be started just as severely as these men. with any prospect of success." I am afraid myself that people who have been accustomed to with you; that will not be forgotton, my Lord. paying one and a half cents would very strongly object to an increase to two cents, but others there were no reprived there would be no The fourth ordinary annual meeting of the think they would not. As from the working of thieves.

Mr. Bain-In support of Mr. Taylor's remark I think it but right to try the reduction laives, they are at Canton. for another year, because during the last year trade and other things in the colony have been very dull, and I think the colony should have an opportunity of buying ice at one and a half cents for another year before a change is made. From our experience during the last nine or ten years I deprecate very much the changing of the price backwards and forwards, and I think \$5,000 on those of the previous year. It it would be for the interest of the Company to to say, replied that he had not, except that he is known by you all that the price of ice let the price remain at one and a half cents for wished to call the attention of the court to the

Mr. McCulloch-From your experience would you call two cents an excessive rate? the jucy arrived at was the correct one, but he Mr. Bain-No: I don't think that it would.

price we court opposition. price was two cents, and so long as it remained at that figure there was a feeling that opposition would be started. The trade of the colony is but the primary object was that the colony not sufficient to support two companies, and it should have a plentiful and cheap supply would be starvation for one or both of them. In India and the South the price is one to one and understand there is a disposition on the part of a half cents, and while we get ice here at one and a half couts I think we are on better terms than the consumers there, because while in the South they want ice all through the year, here we only. want it for five or six months.

are very sound. This is a matter of detail which the reserve fund; in the second year the profits ought to be left to the General Managers. They are working for the best, and if they deem it Mr. TAYLOR—That is quite my own feeling. I merely brought forward the matter because I

Mr. Goundin-I think Mr. Bain's remarks

The subject then dropped. The CHAIRMAN-That closes the business.

The dividend warrants will be issued on Monday. SUPREME COURT.

20th February. CRIMINAL SESSIONS.

EFFORE THE HON SIR GEORGE PHILLIPPO CHIEF JUSTICE. THE CASE OF MISAPPROPRIATING GOVERNMENT William Henry Foulkes, storekeeper of the

squatters. I was the only representative in quilty the previous day to a charge of having Hongkong of the old Ice Association, which embezzled 90 tons of coal belonging to the Naval handed over the use of that property to the pre- | authorities, was brought up to receive sentence. sent Ice Company. The Government was not Being asked if he had anything to say why judgsatisfied with leaving matters with regard to ment should not be passed upon him, he handed in a document which he described as a statement of defence, which was as follows :-'To the Hon, the Chief Justice, "My Lord,—I wish to pract in my defence that month rent. You will see from that that the at the time I committed the offence with which years' penal servitude. purchase is a good one, an excellent one, and it I have been charged I was heavily in debt

"A writ was out against me for \$95, and I was three years' penal servitude. His Lordship "I knew that in having to go to gaol I should mediate future, but if we go on adding to the lose my situation, and should ruin my prospects reserve we shall in time have the reserve intact after serving for so many years in the employ of Mr. TAYLOR—I hope my remarks will not be my firm intention to restore as soon as I had the

Managers. I think myself the shareholders in of 13 years, and during the whole of that time I this Company should never have allowed the have conducted myself to the satisfaction of my dividend to fall below 12 per cent., and I should employers, which the characters I produce for when the Company was originally started orige which I have committed, at the same time \$30,000 was spoken of as a reserve sufficient to I would respectfully urge that had it not been if a dividend of 10 per cent. were declared and have a wife and two children dependent on me \$5,750 carried to reserve fund, which would bring for support, and in awarding sentence I earnestly were heavily fired upon. The firing was hasty, dividend of 10 per cent. be declared, if any one ful consideration the fact that they will be left wholly without means during my confinement. "I therefore throw myself on the mercy of the court, hoping for the reason above stated, and on account of my previous good character that your Lordship will be pleased to pass on me a

> "WILLIAM HENRY FOULKES." The prisoner also handed in his certificates of Savle came on board the steamer and informed during that time being very good. The second was given by Deputy Inspector-

General McBreen, dated the 12th March, 1880, to the effect that the prisoner had served at the Royal Naval Yard as constable from the 24th July, 1879, giving entire satisfaction. There was also a similar certificate from Henry Brown, sergeant in the Naval Yard

agers in a matter of this kind. It has not been Police, who pleaded guilty to stealing the above without consideration, due thought, and in the coal, was next called into the dock, and in anbest interests of the company that the General swer to the question as to whether he had any-Managers have proposed 9 per cent, and I think thing to say, he said, "Nothing" myLord; I appointing under the management, the advice. The prisoner's certificates of character were and the consideration the company has had from | handed in for him. The first was from Commothe General Managers, it would be better if you dore Smith to the effect that Brown had served in could see your way to adopting on this occasion the Naval Yard Police Force since the 2nd Detheir proposal, in the same way as you have same- comber, 1879, and during that time his character tioned it in the past. Gentlemen in favour of the had been exemplary. A similar character was

extent of substituting 10 per cent. for 9 per cent. | chaelson, of the 27th Royal Inniskilling Fusi-The amendment was then put to the meeting, liers, who wrote that he had much pleasure in the parties went the right way to work about when ten hands were held up in its favour and cortifying to Lance Corporal Brown's character. He had been a steady, honest, and entert soldier The CHAIRMAN-The amendment is carried. while in his company, and he had much pleasure in recommending Brown for a position of trust. A poll was then taken and the CHAIRMAN said There was a certificate from Col. Geddes, the The result is that 74 votes are in favour of the commandant of the regiment, stated that Brown's

consult the gentlemen present as to how far we was neked if he wished to say snything. He are to proceed whether we should withdraw said The late police sorgeant Brown conthese accounts now, have them amended, and sub- dessed the crime to me, and I have no resson to believe that there was ever anything Mr. TAYLOR-There is nothing in the so- of the same sort occurred to him before. If. tween these two men, because the one was actually in charge of stores, and the other, The CHAIRMAN-I think that can be done, though a sergeant in a responsible situation,

placed in positions of trust for the purpose of ander which you have been both concerned.] have some doubts as to whether I should ranke any difference as to the punishment I should award to you; the nunishment by law is a punish-On the motion of Mr. Polishwalla, seconded | ment of penal servitude for a period not e condinto consideration, the punishment which I Mr. TAYLOn-Mr. Chairman, I have been shall inflict upon you, Foulkes, will be seven asked by a sufficiently strong body of share- | years' penal servitude, and upon you, Brown, holders to bring up the question of the price of taking into account the difference in your They think it ought to be raised position, and the recommendation of your Commodore Morant-Certainly, I quite agree His Lordship-It is an old remark that if

> Both the members of that firm are now away from the colony; as I am informed by the detec-

His Lordship - I apprehend that if they had been here they would have been brought up? Commodore Morant—I think so.

RESERVED SENTENORS. Chun Akow, who had been convicted the day previous of larcony, was called up to receive sen-

The prisoner, being asked if he had anything fact that the constable had told a lot of lies. His Lordship said he had no doubt the vertical believed the prisoner, though one of the accomplices, was not the principal thief. He had three Mr. TAYLOR-It seems to maif we raise the or four previous convictions against him for small offences, and he would be sentenced to two Mr. BAIN-Exactly so. In former years the years' hard labour. Hal His Lordship believed him to be the principal thisf he would have been more severely punished.

Chan Ahoi, who pleaded guilty the previous day to burglary, represented that he had a mother at Canton who was 60 years old, and had no means of support but himself; he therefore begged His Lordship, the Colonial Secretary, and the Attorney-General, to have marcy upon him. His Lordship said it did not appear that the prisoner had been convicted before, but he had been found in a house in Circular Pathway a few days before in a suspicious manner. Ho would be sentenced to three years' penal servitude. Chan A I and Chun Apo, who were found guilty of robbery on board a sampanat Hung Ham had nothing to say.

His Lordship said that though he did not find the prisoners had been convicted before, their offence was one of which he must take a serious view. Had they been charged with robbery with violence, they would probably have been whipped. They would each be sentenced to seven years' penal servitude.

BEFORE MR. JUSTICE RUSSELL.

Lum A. Sz, who was convicted of burglary at the Naval Yard, and stealing two watches, a quantity of clothing, &c., had nothing to say. His Lordship said the prisoner had been guilty of a daring offence. He had climbed over the wall of the Naval Yard and prowled about the rooms of those employed there. Doubtless there was another man with him who had got away with one of the watches, and part of the property, but the jury had very properly found him guilty of stealing all the articles. The prisoner had pleaded guilty to two previous convictions, one of which was being in a house at night for the purpose of committing a felcony. Prisoner-At that time I did not steal any-

His Lordship said it was no use saying that now. That occurred on the 2nd February last year. The prisoner would be sentenced to five

Lum Atsze, convicted of receiving property stolen from a matshed on the Poktolum road erected by the military authorities to communicate with the mine fields, was sentenced to observing he had very little doubt prisoner was one of the men actually concerned in the deed. The prisoner said he was an honest trader and knew nothing about it. The Sessions were adjourned to Monday.

IN SUMMARY JURISDICTION.

Before Mr. Justice Russell HE HONGKONG HOTEL COMPANY V. W. H. GRITTON, \$324.40.

Mr. Bowles (from the office of Mesers. Wotton and Descon), appeared for the plaintiffs. Mr. Greely, the manager of the Hotel, said the defendant came to the hotelon the 22nd September as a great with his wife, child, and amah. No srrangements were made as to the rate charged. and a parlour and bedroom were assigned to them. They continued there until the 10th November. The original charge was \$175 per month, for himself and family, but as he complained of the amount, witness reduced it to \$150 a month. The claim was for board, lodging, and the amount signed for by chits. Mr. Gritton said he admitted the claim as far as his board and chits went, but he denied his

had engaged the rooms. Mr. Greely said the rooms had been engaged for him by Mr. Sayle., Mr. Gritton said he was engaged as manager the promoters of the Glass Company. and it was part of his agreement with the company that they should find him with a house. When he arrived here Mr.

liability for the room; he asked Mr. Greely if he

him that he had engaged rooms for him at the Hongkong Hotel, and he went there. He had nothing to do with the hiring of the rooms, and he made no arrangement about terms. He pointed out that the usual price was not charged for the rooms, so it must have been done by some arrangement with the promoters of the Glass Company, as he had made no arrangement Mr. Greely said the defendant had told him the Glass Company allowed him \$50 a month for his lodgings, and he struck that amount off, and would charge it to Mr. Sayle. The defendant denied having made such a statement. He said he had objected to the ac-

count as it was sent in, and asked for a proper secount, but Mr. Greely would not give him one, so he was obliged to let the matter come into court to be settled. His Lordship asked defendant if he had spoken to the promoters, or the general agents, Messra. Russell & Co., about this matter. Defendant said he had not, and he had no

doubt that if Mr. Greely sent in the account for lodging to them it would be paid. Mr. Greely, in reply to His Lordship, said he had not applied to the promoters of the company.

His Lordship said this seemed to him a matter which might be easily settled out of court if He had no doubt the promoters of the Glass Company would pay the bill if they were applied to. He should adjourn the matter for a week to

let them try to settle the matter. The man who always finds something good in the newspaper is the chap who carries his lunch.

20th February BEFORE MR. H. E. WODEHOUSE.

A HARD CASE. James Watson, unemployed seaman, charged with being a rogue and vagabond Graham street at midnight on the 18th inst. other complaints; but if the reader will ask He had no place of abode nor visible means of himself the following questions, he will be able subsistence.

The defendant said that about six weeks ago afflicted :-- Have I distress, pain, or difficulty in he was discharged from the American ship In- breathing after eating? Is there a dull, heavy vincible, and he had now no place to live in. His feeling attended by drowsiness? Have the oyes wrist and shoulder were sprained from being syellow tinge? Does a thick, sticky mucous knocked down by the mate of the ship while on gather about the gums and teeth in the mornings the high sons. The case was remanded and the defendant

was sent down to the Harbour Master to see if anything could be done for him, but Capt. Thomsett was unable to do anything. The defendant was discharged, and an order was given for the Hospital for him.

fined \$1 for drunkenness and disorderly conduct | flatulonco or a belching of gas from the stomach in the street on the 19th instant. James Hanson, unemployed seaman, of Germany, was fined half a dollar for having been one time, but they torment the sufferer in turn drunk and incapable that morning. ASSAULTING AN EMPLÖYER:

DRUNKENNESS.

Choi Afuk coal coolie was fined \$10, and in default committed to gool for a month, and for another 14 days in default of finding surties for his good behaviour, for assaulting his master, Fung Acheung. The parties were on board a cargo boat, and

the result of some words between the two was that the defendant threw a spade at his master, ing against this latter agonising disorder. The and cut him badly on the face. CHARGE OF ROBBERY WITH VIOLENCE

stealing from the person of a cook, named Chu on the arm, on the 13th inst. and semeothers seized him and took six silver dolthe appetite has returned, and the digestive tions, Ladies, Children, and Infants, and for regular lars out of his purse. The prisoner stabbed him organs restored to a healthy condition. The use in Warm Climates, Dinnerstand and Storekoopers through-

money was not recovered. Supreme, Court.

CHARGE OF NEGLECT OF DUTY. Frederick John Morris, Naval Yard constable No. 19, was charged with having neglected his duty at Tsim-Tsa Tsui on the 31st December

who saw him, and could speak as to his drunken- liberty to do so. ness.

The prisoner admitted the charge. Inspector Lysaught said this was not the prisoner's first offence for drunkenness; he bore a | physic that has ever been discovered. They bad character. On the last occasion, the 4th cleanse the bowels from all irritating substances, October, he was fined \$20. The prisoner said he took drink with him, going on duty.

The case was remanded to Tuesday, bail allowed in two sureties of \$25 each.

of the Manchester Guardian) that in his recent and declares Mother Seigel's Syrup which he public appearances the eldest grandson of the got from me has saved his life. Queen is always referred to as Prince Edward, not Prince Albert Victor. There appears to Mr. White. be good authority for the opinion that this is

by his father's wish. There is no more thorough. My Dear Sir.—Your Syrup and Pills are ly English name than Edward, and if the young still very popular with my customers, many Prince assumes it the elder may perhaps in time saying they are the best family medicines prefer his own second name. There is a monutossible. ment in Rome to the memory of "Charles III.," | The other day a customer came for two bottles. "James III., and "Henry IX.," three Stuart of Syrup and said "Mother Seigel" had saved princes who never reigned except in the hearts | the life of his wife, and he added, "one of these of a handful of faithful followers. These pre- bottles I am sending fifteen miles away to a tenders did not take the more popular title of friend who is very ill. I have much faith in it. 2-487 "Edward VII." It appears, however, by no means. The sale keeps up wonderfully, in fact, one improbable that that title may be borne by a would fancy almost that the people were beginliving prince on accession to the throne of ming to breakfast, dine, and sup on Mother

COMMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE.

FRIDAY, 20th February. EXPORT CARGO.

Per steamship Hydaspes, sailed on the 17th February -- From Shanghai to London-1,440 packages tea. From Canton to London-62 boxes tea, 1,240 lbs. scented orange pekoe. From Canton to Continent—60 balesraw silk.—From—Shanghai to London-44 bales raw silk. To Continent-162 bales raw silk. From Japan to London-136 bales raw silk. To Continent-383 bales raw silk. From Canton to London-55 bales waste silk. From Shanghai to London-20 bales waste silk. To Continent-51 bales waste silk. From Japan to London-24 bales waste silk. To Continent-57 bales waste silk. From Canton to London-9 cases silk piece goods. To Continent-24 cases silk piece goods. From Shanghai to London-33 cases silk piece goods.

Quotations are :---Malwa (New)...\$540 per picul, alice. of 2 catties. Malwa (Old) ...\$550 617½ to 620 Benares (New) 605 to 6071 Benares (Old) 605 to 6072

EXCRANGE. On London.—

Bank Bills, on demand.. Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight......3/5 Bank Bills, at 4 months' sight 3/61 Credits, at 4 months' sight3/61 Documentary Bills, at 4 months' might3/6% On Paris.—

Bank Bills, on demand4.40 Credits, at 4 months' sight4.47 On Bombay.—Bank, 3 days' sight. 2201 On CALCUTTA.-Bank, 3 days' sight ... 2201 On Shanghal.—

Private, 30 days' sight734

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EXTRACT

HOPE ON, HOPE EVER. Hope on, hope ever. Though dead lanves lying In mournful clusters neath your wandering feet The flowers are dead; yet is the memory sweet Of summer winds and countless roses glowing 'Noath the warm kieses of the generous sun. In every season is some victory won.

Hope on, hope ever, though you deck loved tresses With trembling fingers for the silent grave; Though cold the check beneath your fond caresses, Look up, true Christian sonl; be calm, be brave! Hope on, hope ever. Though your hearts be breaking, Let flowers of resignation wreathe your cross. Deep in your heart some heavenly wisdom waking, For mortal life is full of change and loss. Watch for your coming on the golden shore.

Hope on, hope ever, for long-vanished faces E'en while you whisper in their vacant places The blessed words, "Not lost but gone before!" Hope on, hope ever, let your hearts keep singing, When low you bend above the churchyard sod, And fervent prayers your chastened thoughts are Through sighs and tears, to the bright throne of God!

Hope on, hope ever. Let not toil or sorrow. Still the sweet music of Hope's heavenly voice. . From every dawn some ray of comfort borrow, That in the evening you may still rejoice. Hope on, hope ever-words beyond comparing, Dear to the hearts that nameless wees have riven; To all that mourn, sweet consolution bearing. -Chambers's Journal.

THE ORANGE-PICKERS AT ST MICHAEL'S.

shelter to the orange-trees; these are the no more ankers.—Saturday Review. Pitisporum-or incense tree, as it is here called from the perfume which its pretty white flowers give out. There are said to be several different specimens of the orange here, the hardiest and longest lived being raised from the pips, and others from the old trees. There are over forty men and boys at work; the men, some on ladders and some with wooden prongs, choosing out and picking the prime oranges. These are carefully deposited in baskets, and then in heaps for immediate packing. The "seconds" and "thirds" are next selected, and separated too for packing. In a long, low, tiled shed in the garden a number of boys, some apparently not more than ten years old, are busy sorting the dried leaves of the Indian island pine, bound together with bands made the boys' food, consisting of loaves of Indiancorn bread; some have little fried fishes, their homes of this simple food, with a change of clothes. And they sleep, many supplying the leaves of the Milko (Indian Felisardo; and his father's is Pedro Manoel, every year, sometimes for two or three is under our control.—Lancet. months during the orange season. They are each paid four vintens a day, about threepence-halfpenny, and they often take home over seven milreis, about twenty-five shillings English money. They work every day from

Leisure Hour.

ANKERS. many anachorite in old London. One of the They are generally of little force, and their most interesting documents on the subject of characters are not of the nighest strata. A the old recluses is a rule of life which was pervous man, who fumbles his cigar a great drawn up for them in the ninth century by deal, is a sort of popinjay among men. Holda monk of the name of Grimlaic. According ing the cigar constantly between the teeth, to this rule, it would seem that it was chewing it occasionally, and not caring if it generally considered best to build two or is lighted at all, are characteristics of men three ankers' cells together. The occupants, who have the tenacity of bull-dogs. They ed the strictest recluses still remaining, never The fop stands his cigar on end, and an met together in one chamber or in church : experienced smoker points it straight stread each other by means of small windows, been my observations with regard to Other windows looked from each cell into smokers.

the Church, when the anker-holds adjoined one. Through these second windows they were allowed at certain times to converse with their friends from the outside world. When practicable, there was a small garden to each cell, so that the anker might get Though wintry winds through naked boughs are sighing frosh air and perform some manual labour. Ankers who were priests had small oratories attached to their cells, containing alters for their masses. Grimlaic admonishes these Hope on, hope ever. Why should tears be flowing? | clerical ankers to be careful in keeping their ultar-linen scrupulously clean. Nor is their linen the only thing that they are to wash. "Tubbing" is faid down as part of the rule, and a bath is to be one of the very few articles of furniture allowed in the cells. It is amusing to observe that objections appear to have been made against the habitual tub as a degenerate luxury of the minth century, and that the objectors argued that St. Anthony never bathed; but Grimlaio would not give way on this ground. Priestly ankers, at any rate, must on no account neglect their splashings. "There are some, perchance, who will tell me," says Grimlaic, that St. Anthony never tubbed. I curtly reply to such, "If St. Anthony never tubbed, he never said Mass.' Therefore, the use of baths is left to the discretion of prissts, in order that they may have the means of celebrating the sacred mysteries cleanly and worthily." Four hundred years later St. Edmond drew up constitutions for English ankers; a hundred years later still Simon Mencham issued others; and in episcopal registers it is not unusuale to find entries of licences to anachorita or eremita. Before being walled up, the anker was made to fast Oh, may they prove the Christian's guide to heaven! on bread and water, and he had to spend the night preceding, the ceremony in vigils. He made his vows in a church either before the bishop, or some priest appointed by the bishop, and then he received Holy Communion; or, if a priest, he said the Mass of the Out in the Atlantic, over 1,200 miles from Holy Ghost. He was then led in procession Land's End, and about 800 miles due west to his cell, when the bishop went in and from Lisbon, lies the beautiful island of St. blessed it, and on coming out said, "If he Michael's the largest of the nine islands wish to enter, let him enter." While the forming the Archipolage of the Azores. It anker went into his cell, the chair sang "The is beautiful in its variety of mountain, lake, angels lead thee into Paradise." The cell and valley scenery, in the rich verdure of its and its occupant were then sprinkled with cultivated lands, its equable mild climate, hely water and incense, and the order of exand in its wonderful thermal springs, all trame unction was recited, but not admicombining to make it a most desirable health- nistered. The anker lay down in a grave resort. The principal commerce of St. dug in his cell, intoning "This is my rest Michael's is the orange crop, which has for ever and ever. Here will I dwell, for I wonderfully increased since 1820, when only have chosen it." The bishop sprinkled some 42,536 boxes were exported to England. earth upon him and left the cell, and then The mode of picking and packing remains the door was walled up and sealed. Some unaltered since those early days. The city ankeresses taught classess of children through Ponta Delgada, the capital of the island, is the windows of their cells. Others "took " set in the midst of orange-gardens, and the air in washing "--ecclesiastical washing, it is in the early mornings or late in the evenings true, but not the less washing. Although comes laden to you, with the fragrance of enclosed in the most literal meaning of the the orange-blossoms. As you "take your word, ankersandankeresses led a very different walks abroad," either in the town or the life from members of what are called gardens invitingly open, and you will be politely invited to walk in and help yourself research for all the consolation, and oven a to flowers and fruit. If you are a stranger little gossip. These windows are often the the "cabeça," or head mun of the garden, only remaining signs of anker-holds. In will bring you a bunch of levely camellias, ruined churches they are frequently mistaken and a branch on which hang clusters of ripe for confessionals. On the other hand, when oranges, and invite you to be seated on a on the outer walls, it is sometimes doubtful garden bench, for though it is the month of whether small low windows, which look very February you can enjoy sitting out of doors, like those of an anker's cell, may not have There you can watch the juvenile toilers been those used for communicating lepers. sorting the fruit and the dried leaves of the Altogether, anker-hold hunting may safely Indian corn. Many an English boy would be recommended as an entertaining spot to gladly change with the orange-picker of St. srchwologists; and we may add that when Michael's, who can eat as many oranges as they find one of these interesting relies of he pleases, and take away every evening a the middle ages, ther are at liberty to call it bag or basket full of the fruit that has fallen the cell of an anker, anera, anera, anera, anera, from the trees, which he sells at thirty or | more, ancresse, anchorite, or anchorer; for forty for a penny. We enter a large garden there are precedents for the use of each of surrounded by very high walls a short dis- these names; but they must beware of speaktance from the city, under an imposing ing of ankers as hermits, or of confounding gateway. Rows of tall stately trees are them with monks and nuns. Of the latter planted close to the walls, affording complete | there are still many thousands, but there are

PAINLESS EXPINCTION OF LIFE

OF THE LOWER ANIMALS. Dr. Richardson's lecture on his process of painless killing of the lower animals scores for science a baggaificent success. As its author. said in the closing passages, science has now given to the inferior creation a blessing which she dare not give to man himself-painless death. At the Dogs' Home over six thousand dogs have, during the past seven months, slept their final sleep, knowing as little of their deaths as of their births. The principal agent used for the narcotic action is carbouic oxide, passing, at summer heat, over a mixture of caloroform and carbon bisulphide corn, each orange being wrapped in a separate into a lethal chamber, in which chamleaf and packed with great care in the boxes. ber as many as a bundred dogs can at These boxes are made of the wood of the once receive euthanseia. This is on the large scale; but Dr. Richardson described from slight chestnut boughs; and are two also a small apparatus which, after long sizes, large and half boxes, containing each trials, he has completed, in which from about nine hundred or five hundred oranges. one to six animals can be painlessly killed, Round this shed are hung on pegs a great and which is so portable that it can be many bags of various sizes; these contain wheeled from a central station to any house or street ready for immediate use. Thus and some island cheeses, and some only red small cost with a means that will give painevery village and town may be provided at a pepper pods, done up in the leaves of the less death to any domestic animal without yam. Once a week they get a supply from offending the most sensitive individual. By an extension of the same design the author of them, in the loft above the shed. A fine, larger kind that are used for human food, next intends to apply it to animals of the intelligent-looking boy, with the brightest its application to the slaughtering of sheep of brown eyes and coimplexion to match, attracts our special attention; he is engaged

By such works of beneficence as these man corn) to the packers. What is his name? exertahis wisest and best dominion over natural sufferings and difficulties, and medicine is never more distinctly in her true position than and his mother's Maria Rosa; but his family when she is lending to that dominion the name he entirely ignores. What would an Irish or Scotch peasant, with his pride of race, in his faction or clans, think of this ignorance? He comes with nine other boys the Darte Classic a willing and practical aid which her representatives are specially fitted to confer. It is no contemptible part of its history in this century for the profession to leave as a bequest from Ponta Garcia, a village nearly twenty to the future the means of taking the sting miles distant from the city; they emigrate death from all our lower friends whose fate

CHARACTERISTICS OF SMOKERS. A gentleman who is a great "fumigator" says that he has philosophised about smokers, 8 a.m. until dusk, and even on Sundays when with this result :- "An even-tempered, quiet it is fine weather; and they like the life. - | man never goes to an extreme in choosing his cigar. A nervous man wants something the different Agents. strong and furious; a mild man something that smokes and nothing more. There is a great deal in the way men bandle their cigar. If a The modern archmologist appears to be man smokes his eight only enough to keep it nose. Yet ankers were far more common in ties. He will not create trouble, but is apt the British Empire. was usually built against a church, on a man who smokes a bit, rests a bit, and in the Colony. bridge, in a wall, or over city gates. From fumbles the cigar more or less, is essily the sixth to the fifteenth centuries anker- affected by circumstances. If the cigar goes holds abounded in Great Britain. Cornwall, jout frequently, the man has a whole-souled Wales, and the South of Scotland were disposition, is a devil-may-care sort of a "Daily Press" Office, Hongkong. specially noted for them, and it is pretty fellow, with a lively brain and a glib tongue, certain that "the anker in the wall beside and generally a fine fund of anecdote. To Bishopsgate, London," mentioned by a cer- hold half of the cigar in the mouth and thin testator in his will, was but one of very smoke indifferently is a lazy man's habit. unlike the Carthusians, who may be consider- | never forget anything or let go their holds. but they were enabled to communicate with at right angles with his course. Such have in Hongkong, the Ports of China and Japan Gitanilla

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